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WALKER STATEMENT ON INDIVIDUAL WHO LEFT HUBER PROGRAM

MILWAUKEE – County Executive Scott Walker issued the following statement regarding individual who left Huber program earlier today:

"This incident shows precisely why I want to replace the current Huber system with a GPS technology system that monitors these individuals on a 24 hour basis. To insure public safety, I want to know where these guys are 24/7."

Walker proposed that a GPS technology system with 24 hour monitoring replace the current Huber system where offenders are given work release through the courts and then check in to the Community Corrections Center to sleep. His proposal was amended by the County Board to require approval by the Community Justice Council in early 2008 prior to implementation. Walker will push to replace the system as soon as possible with the GPS 24 hour monitoring system.

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